



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: PEMBERTON, ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/734,461

Filed: 12/12/2003

Title: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PREVENTING PETS FROM CLAWING
HOME FURNISHINGS

Examiner: Mark A. Osele

Art Unit: 1734

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Rejection dated September 25, 2006, in which the Examiner finally rejected claims 1-3, 42-45, and 47.

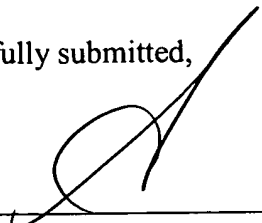
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Respectfully submitted,

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